Notification dated 30th June 1907.

It is hereby notified for general information that the right of collecting the minor forest produce in Government waste lands and in the State and District Forests in the taluks of the Hassan District, for the year 1907-08 will be sold by public auction (subject to confirmation) at the head-quarters of each taluk by the District Forest Officer or the Range Officer in conjunction with the Amildar of the taluk, on the dates mentioned hereunder :—

Taluk.	*Date of sale.*
1. Manjarabad	... 23rd July 1907.
2. Belur	... 25th do
3. Arsikere	... 27th do
4. Channarayapatna	... 29th do
5. Hole-Narsipur	... 31st do
6. Arkalgud	... 2nd August 1907.
7. Hassan	... 5th do

2. The highest bidder shall, immediately after the sale, pay a deposit of twenty-five per-cent of the entire lease amount and the balance within fifteen days from the date of sale. If he fails to do so, the contract will be re-sold at once at his risk and he will be liable for any loss that may be caused to Government by the re-sale but will not participate in any profit accruing therefrom.

3. Local cess of one anna per rupee will be paid on the entire lease amount in addition to it, within the time specified.

4. In default of payment of the balance of lease money within the specified time, the deposit amount will be forfeited to Government and the lease will then be dealt with in the manner described in the last sentence of para 2 above.

5. The contractor shall not interfere with the recognised rights of the inamdars.

6. (*a*) The lease mentioned in para 1 above will be by taluks unless a majority of the bidders wish for its being granted junglewar or hobliwar on special grounds.

The lessee shall not sublet the lease without the previous written permission of the District Forest Officer.

(*b*) The lessee or sub-lessee must personally concern himself with and will be held responsible for the acts of his agent or servants in the business of collection.

7. The sale will be as usual confirmed either by the District Forest Officer or the Deputy Commissioner or the Conservator of Forests, as the case may be, under the rules in force.

List showing the articles of minor forest produce which will be the subject of the auction sale is subjoined :—

No.	Items.	No.	Items.	No.	Items.
1	Bees-wax ...	10	Somé chakke ...	19	Wild olive seeds.
2	Tamarind ...	11	Wild castor seeds ...	20	Silk cotton.
3	Soap-nuts ...	12	Nisrani buds ...	21	Tarekayi.
4	Marking nuts ...	13	Halmaddi ...	22	Kapila rangu.
5	Gum ...	14	Hurugal seeds ...	23	Pith.
6	Honge seeds ...	15	Wood-apple ...	24	Rampatri Ramgotu.
7	Kadchagachi seeds ...	16	Vatehuli ...	25	Bolar bark.
8	Antuvaladakayi ...	17	Cinnamon bark ...	26	Potstone.
9	Kakkékayi ...	18	Bende fibre ...	27	Pappli chekké.

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